

## Conclusions

By way of the above amendments, claims 1-17 have been canceled as being redundant or directed to non-elected subject matter, and claims 18-35 have been added. As such, claims 18-35 are presently pending.

The newly added claims add no new subject matter and their entry is respectfully requested. Support for the newly added claims can be found at least in Figures 1-9. Nucleotides 306168-306503 of SEQ ID NO:1 (as recited in claims 22-23) is shown at least at sheets 3-4 of Figure 9 (ER1 Exon 4).

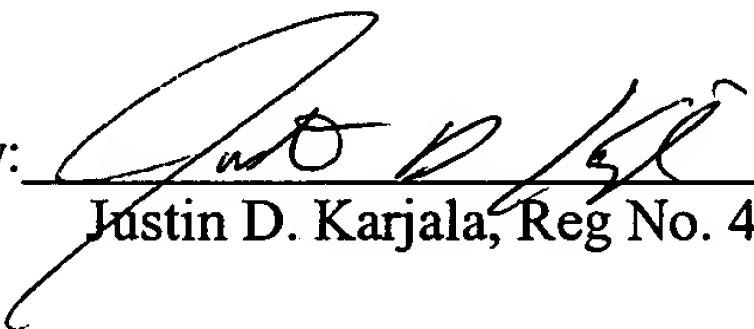
Applicants respectfully assert that the claims are in condition for examination on the merits.

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